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11. (SBU) Post demarched Bosnian MFA contacts Amb. Milenko Misic, Head of Department for Human Rights, and Sanja Kenig-Corovic, Head of Department for UN and International Organizations, on November 18 regarding the UN General Assembly's upcoming discussion of Israel-specific resolutions, per reftel. Misic and Kenig-Corovic had no substantive reply at this time.

¶2. (SBU) Post notes Bosnia's persistent inability to respond substantively to such demarches is based on both the complexity of Bosnia's internal political and ethnic makeup and the difficulty in getting political decisions made at any level up to and including the country's Presidency. ENGLISH